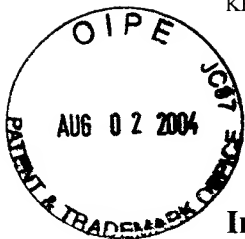PATENT
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WITH REMOTELY PREDICTED DATA
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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

The following errors were noted in comparing the printed patent with the papers in the attorneys' files:

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Column 21, line 10, "based a" should read --based on a--.

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Column 24, line 36 to the end of column 24 should read

--39. The method of claim 15 wherein the remotely predicted units are classified dynamically during transmission of previously encoded data units based on a measure of data transfer reliability.

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classifying each of the data units in the series as one of the following types of encoded data units: an independent unit, a predicted unit, and a remotely predicted unit, such that the data units in the series are organized into segments, and each segment has an independent data unit, two or more predicted units and at least one remotely predicted unit, wherein the independent data unit is a data recovery point and a random access point in the series of data units, and the remotely predicted unit is a data recovery point in the series of data units that is classified independently from the random access point and is coded with more efficiency than the independent data unit;

encoding each of the data units classified as an independent data unit in a compressed format using only information from the data unit;

encoding each of the data units classified as a predicted unit in a compressed format by encoding differences between the data unit and an adjacent data unit in the series; and

encoding each of the data units classified as a remotely predicted unit in a compressed format by encoding differences between the data unit and a remote, non-adjacent data unit in the segment, selected as either the independent unit or another remotely predicted unit in the segment. --.

A Certificate of Correction is enclosed in duplicate to make formal notice of the errors in the referenced patent. Also submitted herewith is a check for 100.00 as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(a) for filing this Certificate of Correction.

The preceding corrections to the specification remedy mistakes of a typographical nature and/or minor character.

In claim 7, the correction at column 20, line 5 remedies a punctuation error, as shown in the Amendment After Allowance filed August 21, 2002.

In claim 17, the correction at column 21, line 6 remedies an error apparently introduced during claim renumbering.

In claim 18, the correction at column 21, line 9 remedies an error apparently introduced during claim renumbering.

In claim 18, the correction at column 21, line 10 remedies a minor grammatical error, as shown in the Amendment After Allowance filed August 21, 2002.

It appears claim 21 was printed in error at column 21, lines 19-23. Printed claim 21 corresponds to original claim 22 of the application, which was amended and which correctly appears in its amended form as printed claim 22 of the patent.

It appears claim 26 was printed in error at column 22, lines 4-14. Printed claim 26 corresponds to the claim presented as "claim 14" in the Preliminary Amendment filed March 12, 1999. This claim was prosecuted and amended as claim 14 in the Amendment filed April 9, 2002, and correctly appears as printed claim 14 of the patent.

In claim 27, the correction at column 22, line 32 remedies a minor grammatical error, as shown in the Amendment After Allowance filed August 21, 2002.

Claim 17 of the application (as shown in the Amendment filed April 9, 2002) was allowed but not printed in the patent. Applicants have renumbered claim 17 of the application and presented it as claim 39 above.

Claim 25 of the application (as shown in the Amendment filed April 9, 2002) was allowed but not printed in the patent. Applicants have renumbered claim 25 of the application and presented it as claim 40 above.

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